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Abstract Summary: The lifting bracket is specially designed for lifting and moving the inner yokes and other applicable yokes and blocks during SM3 disassembly in Meson east building and VM assembly in C0 building. The working stresses of bracket and the bolt, the welding sizes subject to applying load have been studied per the related specification and codes.

Applicable Codes:

“Allowable Stress Design”, AISC, 9<sup>th</sup> edition  
“Below-the-Hook Lifting Devices”, ASME B30.20  
#5022, ES&H Manual, FermiLab.  
“Structural Welding Code-Steel”, AWS D1.1-90  
“Aluminum Design manual” by The Aluminum  
Association, Inc. 6<sup>th</sup> edition.

## Design the lifting bracket for moving Inner- blocks and other blocks of SM3 in Meson East

### Design Criteria and Assumptions:

Total design load:

$P_v = 60,000 \text{ lbs} = 30 \text{ tons}$ , when the load is applying as shown on figures 1 & 2.

$P_h = 38,000 \text{ lbs} = 19 \text{ tons}$ , when the load is applying as shown on figure 4.

All materials for bracket: ASTM A36:  $F_u = 58 \text{ ksi}$ ,  $F_y = 36 \text{ ksi}$

All bolt materials: ASTM A325,  $F_u = 105 \text{ ksi}$

All weld materials are E70, where  $F_u = 70 \text{ ksi}$

This bracket is specially designed for lifting & moving the sm3 yokes, plates at Meson east, where the crane hook has to directly connect to the lifting bracket because of the height limitation of the crane. Also it is for lifting and moving Vertex Magnet yokes, pole inserts and plates in BTeV CO building.

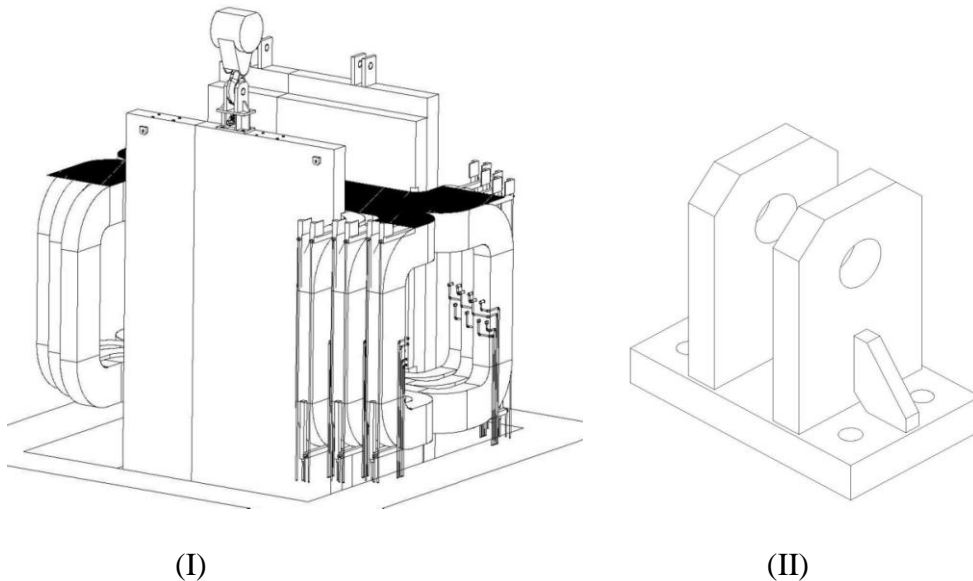


Figure 1. The isometric view of the lifting bracket for SM3 & its application

Part I of figure 1 is an isometric view to show one of the applications, where 4 bolts will be bolted to the yoke of sm3 magnet, the crane hook will lifting the yoke through 3" diameter lifting pin.

Part II of figure 1 is an isometric view of the lifting bracket.

1. Find out the working stresses when the lifting force  $P_v$  applying vertically.

Figure 2 is simulating the force distribution of the bracket when force applying vertically through lifting pin.

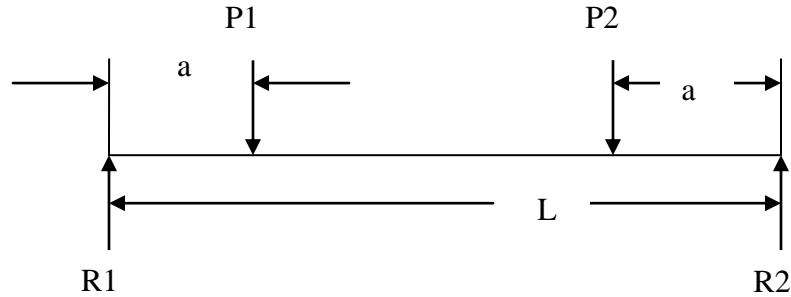


Figure 2. Force distribution diagram of the lifting bracket as it applies vertically

Where:  $L = 12.50''$ ,

$$a = (12.5 - 4.50) / 2 = 4$$

$$P_1 = P_2 = 0.5 \times 60,000 \text{ lbs.} = 30,000 \text{ lbs.}$$

$$R_1 = R_2 = P_i = 30,000 \text{ lbs.}$$

\*. The distance between the lugs for the lifting pin.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{So, } M_{\max} &= P_i a \\ &= 30,000 \times 4 \text{ (in-lbs)} \\ &= 120,000 \text{ in-lbs.} \end{aligned}$$

In order to find the bending and shear stresses @ the most critical location, it is necessary to find out the geometrical property of the lifting bracket at that location.

Figure 3 is the 2d fabrication drawing of the lifting bracket, the critical area subjected the force  $P_v$  should be between two lifting lug, where the properties can be found as:  
(See drawing MD-407783 for reference)

$$\begin{aligned} A_{\text{area}} &\text{ in cross section view, refer to figure 4 on page 5} \\ &= (10.0 \times 2.50) \text{ in}^2 \\ &= 25 \text{ in}^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} I_{xx} &= (10 \times 2.5^3) / 12 \text{ (in}^4\text{)} \\ &= 13 \text{ in}^4, \\ S_{xx} &= 10.4 \text{ in}^3 \end{aligned}$$

The allowable stresses of the bracket (material ASTM A36)

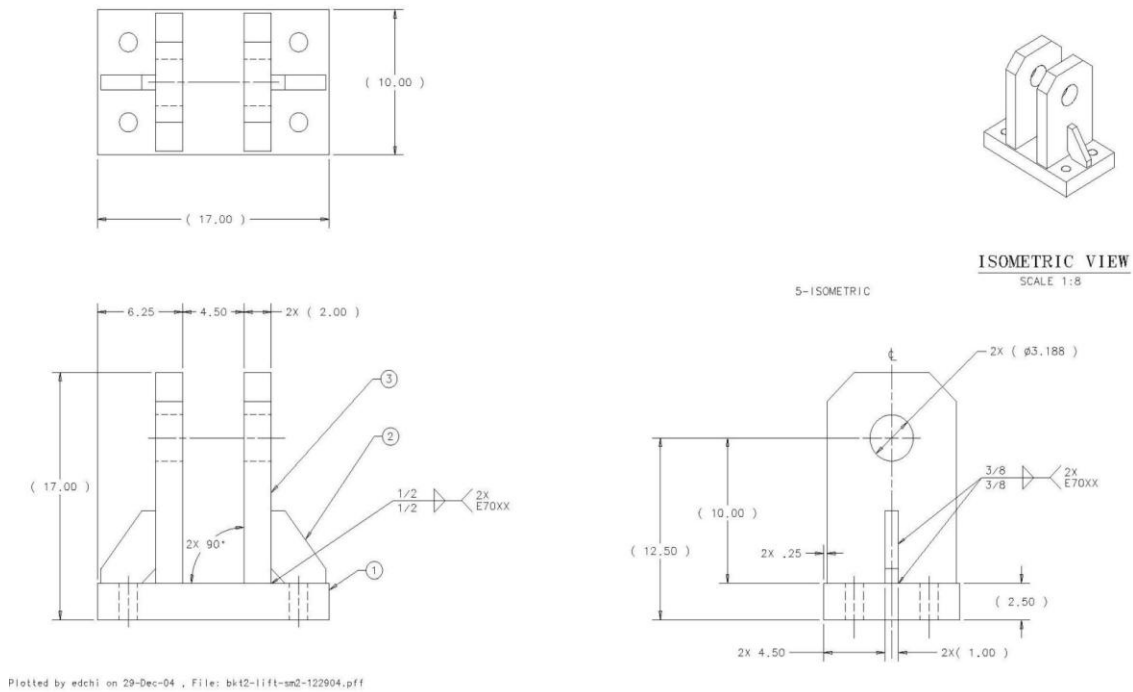


Figure 3. 2D drawing for lifting bracket. (See MD-407783 for details)

$$F_b = F_y / 3.0 = 12 \text{ ksi} = F_v = F_t$$

(per section 20-1.2.2.2, ASME B30.20)

$$f_b = M_{\max} / S_{xx} = 120,000 \text{ in-lbs} / 10.4 \text{ in}^3$$

$$= 11.54 \text{ ksi} < F_b$$

$$f_v = R1 / A_{\text{area}} = 30,000 \text{ lbs} / 25 \text{ in}^2$$

$$= 1.20 \text{ ksi} < F_v$$

**The working stresses of the lifting bracket are satisfactory when it is subjected 30 tons force vertically.**

- Find out the working stresses when the lifting bracket is subjected the force  $P_h$  which is applying horizontally as shown on figure 4.

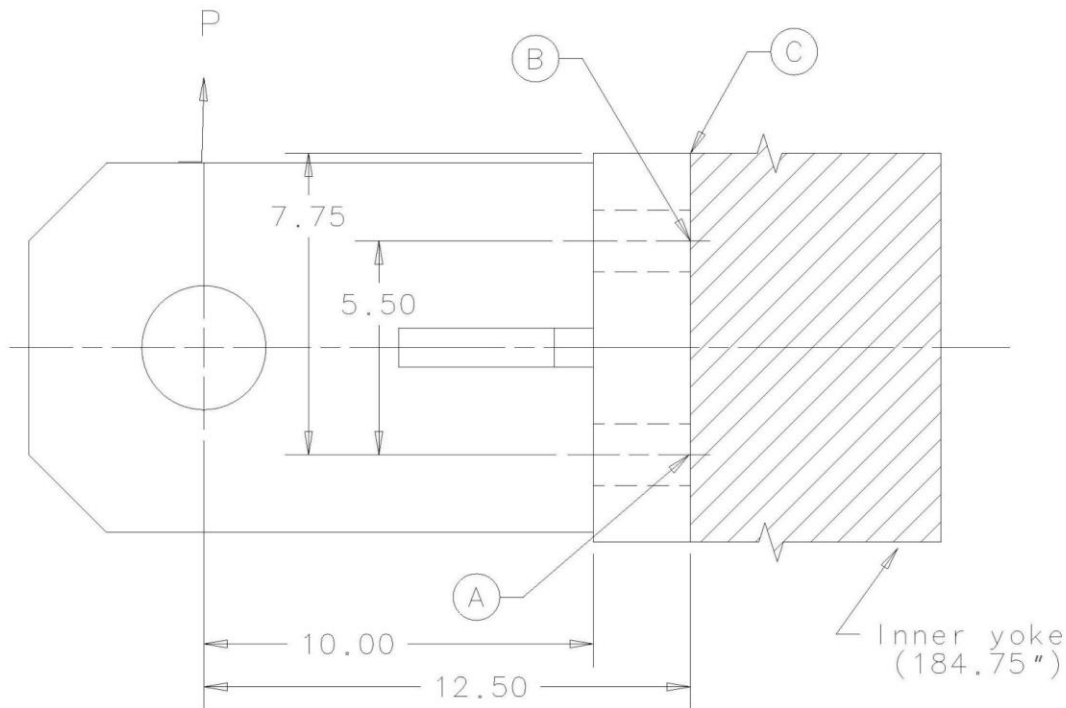


Figure 4. The bracket is subjected the lifting force  $P_h$  in 90 degree rotation.

Where  $P_h = 0.5 \times 38 \text{ tons} = 38,000 \text{ lbs.}$

2.1. Find the working stresses of the bracket subjected the force  $P_h$  as shown on figure 4:

Figure 5 of page 7 is the cross-section view of the lifting bracket at the location of 10" away from the lifting hole, refer to figure 3 and figure 4 for reference.

The geometrical properties (ignore the middle ribs):

$$\begin{aligned}
 A &= (2 \times 2 \times 9.5) \text{ in}^2 \\
 &= 38 \text{ in}^2 \\
 I_{xx} &= ((2 \times 2 \times 9.5^3) / 12) \text{ in}^4 \\
 &= 285.79 \text{ in}^4 \\
 S_{xx} &= (285.79 \div 4.75) \text{ in}^3 \\
 &= 60 \text{ in}^3
 \end{aligned}$$

Moment  $M_{10}$  at the location 10" away from the lifting hole:

$$\begin{aligned}
 M_{10} &= (38,000 \times 10) \text{ lbs.-in} \\
 &= 380,000 \text{ lbs-in}
 \end{aligned}$$

The working stresses subjected the applying load can be found:

$$\begin{aligned}
 f_b &= M_{10} / S_{xx} \\
 &= 380,000 \text{ in-lbs} \div 60 \text{ in}^3 \\
 &= 6.333 \text{ ksi} < F_b = 12 \text{ ksi} \\
 f_v &= P / A \\
 &= 38,000 \text{ lbs} \div 38 \text{ in}^2 \\
 &= 1.0 \text{ ksi} < F_v = 12 \text{ ksi}
 \end{aligned}$$

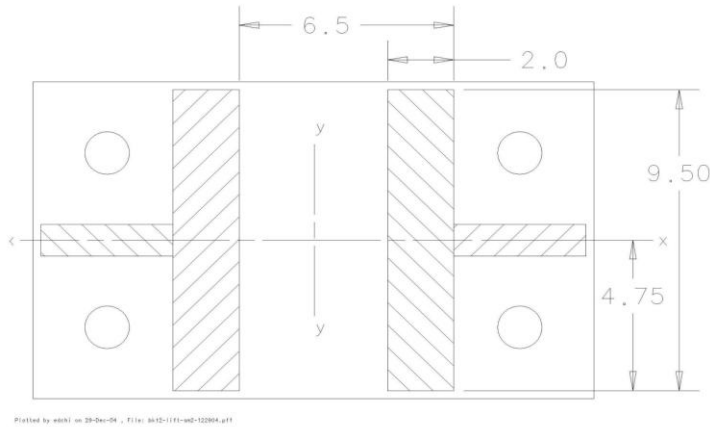


Figure 5. The cross-section view of the lifting bracket at the location of 10'' away from the center hole.

**The computed working stresses of the bracket are satisfactory per the related codes.**

2.2. Compute the working loads of the bolt subjected the applying load  $P_h$ .

The bracket connected with yokes by 4 bolts A and B, and is subjected the applying force  $P_h$  as shown on figure 4 of page 6.

Bolt spec: 1 1/4 - 7 (4), ASTM A325 (see drawing MD-407783)

Where:  $P_t = 54.0 \text{ kip}$

(allowable tensional load, per table I-A, part 4, ASD)

$P_v = 20.9 \text{ kip}$

(allowable shear load, per table I-D, part 4, ASD)

The computed working shear load of the bolt:

$$p_v = P_h / 4 = 38 \text{ kip} / 4 = \underline{9.5 \text{ kip}} < P_v = 20.9 \text{ kip}$$

The computed working tensional load of the bolt:

The moment equation @ location C when the bracket is subjected the lifting force  $P_h$  as shown on figure 5:

$$\sum M_c = 0 \rightarrow P \times 12.5'' - 2 \times (p_{ta} \times 7.75'' + p_{tb} \times 2.25'') = 0 \quad (\text{eq. 2.1})$$

It is reasonable to assume the linear relationship of:

$$p_{ta} / p_{tb} = AC / BC = 7.75 / 2.25 = 3/1$$

so eq. 2.1 becoming:  $38,000 \text{ lbs} \times 12.5 \text{ in} = 2 \times (3 \times p_{tb} \times 7.75'' + p_{tb} \times 2.25'')$

$$p_{tb} = 475,000 \text{ lbs-in} \div 51 \text{ in} = \underline{9.32 \text{ kip}} < P_t = 54.0 \text{ kip}$$

$$p_{ta} = 3 p_{tb} = 9.32 \text{ kip} \times 3 = \underline{28.0 \text{ kip}} < P_t = 54.0 \text{ kip}$$

The computed pull out force  $P_{out}$  from the base metal:\*

Per eq. 5.3.2.1-1, section 5.3.2.1, part I-A of “Aluminum Design Manual” 6<sup>th</sup> edition,

$$P_{out} = 0.85 t_b D F_{tb}$$

$$= 0.85 \times 2.0 \text{ in} \times 1.25 \text{ in} \times 26 \text{ ksi}$$

$$= \underline{55.2 \text{ kip}} \text{ (per bolt bearing area)} > p_{ta} = 28.0 \text{ kip}$$

Where:  $t_b$  the thread bearing length on base metal (see drawing MD-407832)

D.the nominal dia. of the bolt

$F_{tb}$ . The tensile strength of the base metal, (It is conservatively assumed it is pure iron, where  $F_t = 26 \text{ ksi}$ , see page 798, “Metal Handbook”, Vol. I, 8<sup>th</sup> edition for reference)

**The designated bolts are satisfactory when the bracket subject to the special case as it was specified on this section.**

### 3. Weld Calculations:

Figure 6 is the weld configuration for the location where is 10” away from the lifting hole per figure 5 (cross view) and drawing MD-407783.

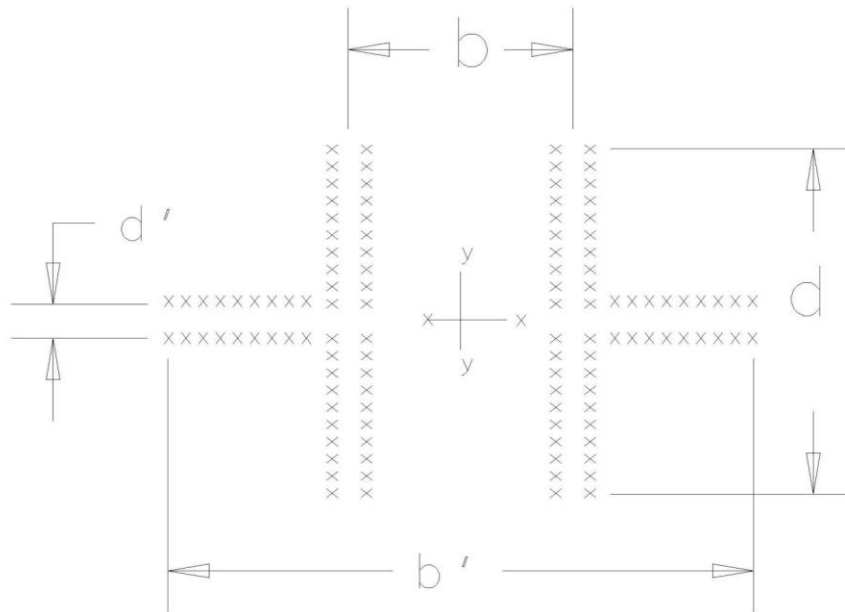


Figure 6. The weld configuration of the bracket @ the location 19” away from the



lifting hole (treat as line with unit thickness).

Find the geometrical properties of the welds as shown on figure 6.

For a simple and conservative approach, ignore the two welding lines with b' & d' dimensions and only consider 4 vertical simulating welding lines.

$$\begin{aligned}\text{where } d &= 9.5 \text{ inch, } b = 6.5 \text{ inch} \\ L &= 4d = 38 \text{ in} \quad \text{length of the welds} \\ I_{xx} &= d^3 / 3 \\ &= 285.79 \text{ in}^3 \\ S_{xx} &= (2d^2) / 3 \\ &= 60 \text{ in}^2\end{aligned}$$

The working load per unit length of the weld subject to the applying load can be found:

$$\begin{aligned}f_b &= M_{\max} / S_{xx} \\ &= 380,000 \text{ in-lbs} \div 60 \text{ in}^2 \\ &= 6,333 \text{ lbs/in} \\ f_v &= P / L \\ &= 38,000 \text{ lbs} \div 38 \text{ in} \\ &= 1,000 \text{ lbs/in} \\ f_r &= (f_b^2 + f_v^2)^{1/2} \\ &= 6,412 \text{ lbs/in}\end{aligned}$$

To find the required weld size C:

All weld metals are E70,

Where:  $F_u = 70 \text{ ksi}$

The allowable stresses for the weld metals:

$$F_{t2} = F_{v2} = 0.30 F_u = 21 \text{ ksi}$$

$$\begin{aligned}C &= \text{combined working load per unit length} \div (\text{effective factor} \times \text{allowable stress}) \\ &= (6,412 \text{ lbs/in}) \div (0.707 \times 21 \text{ ksi}) \\ &= 0.432 \text{ in} < 0.5 \text{ in (designated weld size in the area)}\end{aligned}$$

**The designated weld size is satisfactory.**

### ***Conclusions:***

The lifting bracket has been designed per the related engineering codes after the calculations and discussions from several the most critical areas, such discussions were approached by computing the working structural stresses, bolt stresses and weld sizes in terms the different applications.